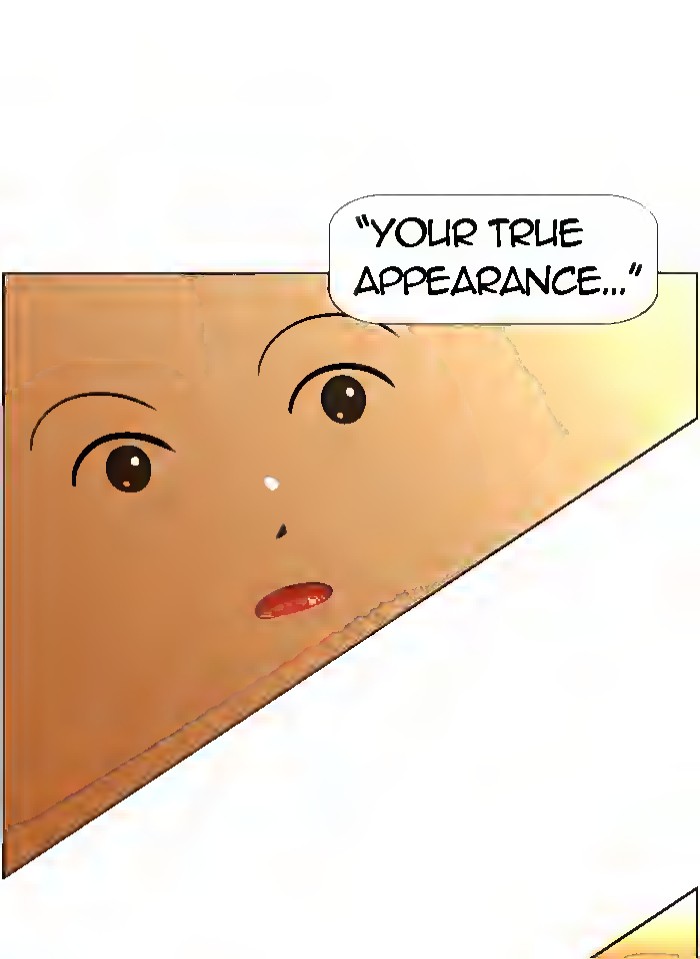
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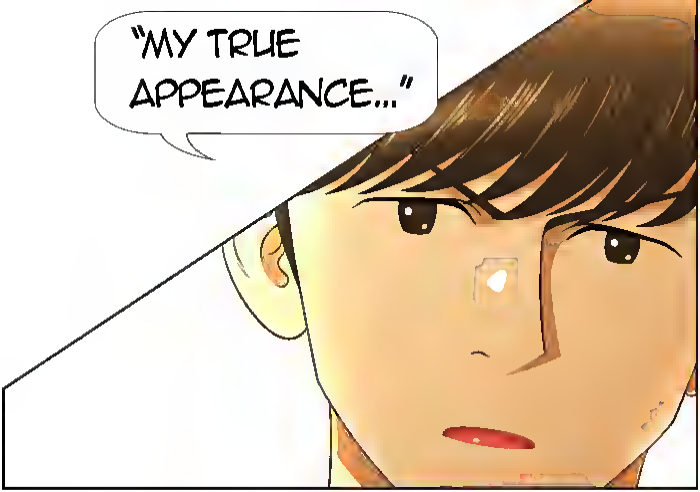
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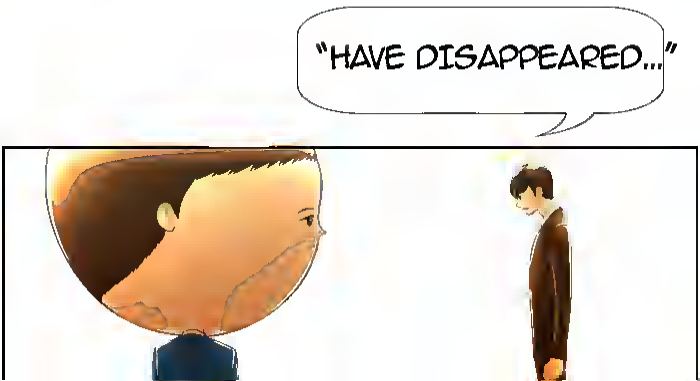
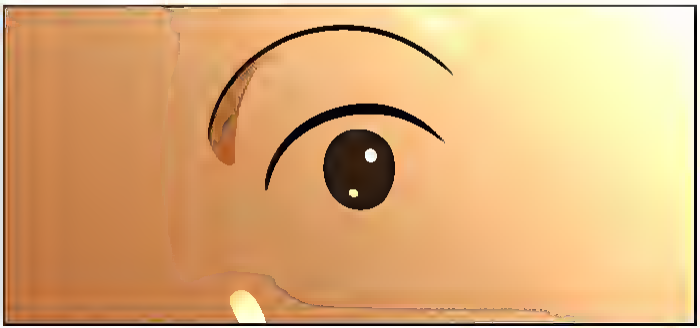
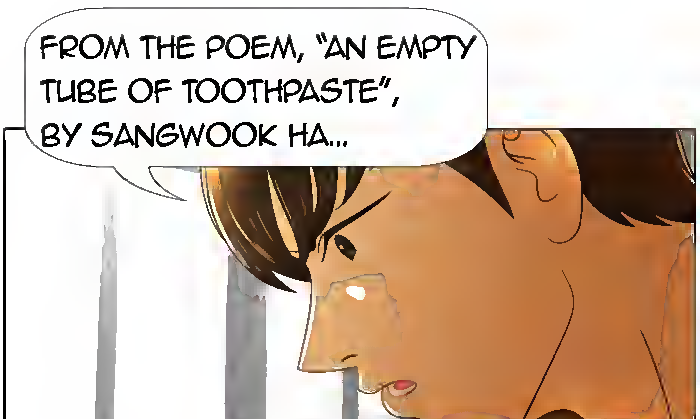

"HAVE DISAPPEARED..."

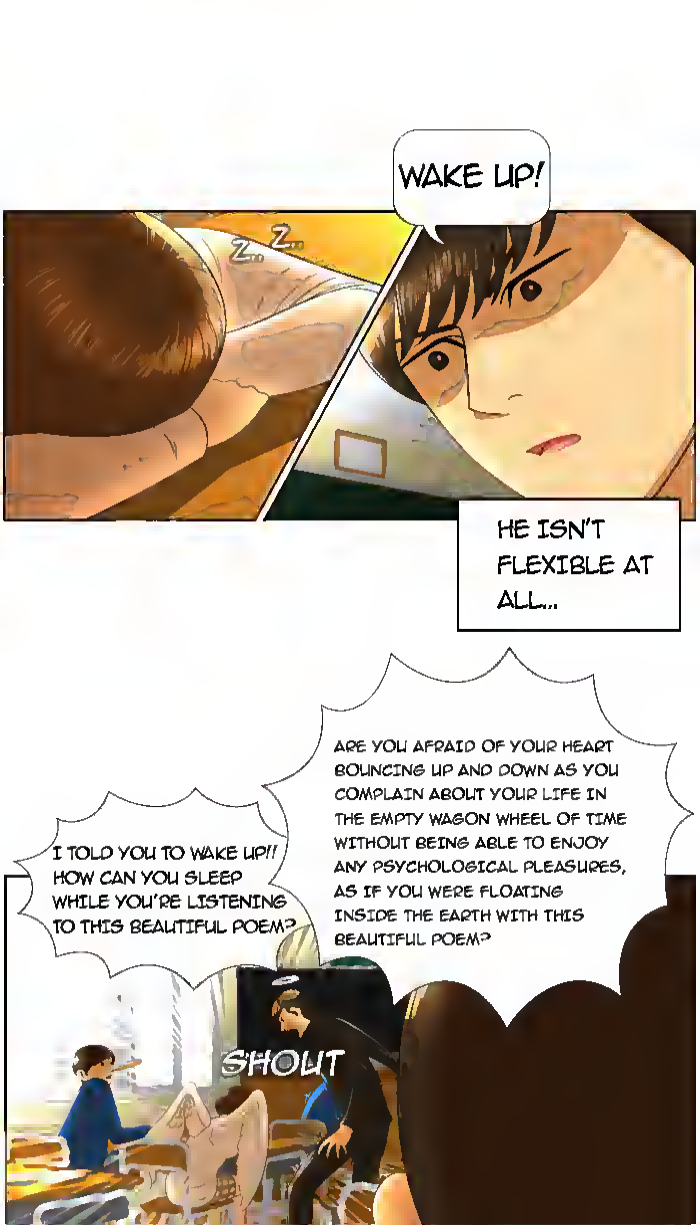
FROM THE POEM "PHOTOSHOP" BY SANGWOOK HA...



"WHERE'S THE LIMIT TO YOUR POTENTIAL?!"
GRAB!!


FROM THE POEM, "AN EMPTY TUBE OF TOOTHPASTE", BY SANGWOOK HA...

SANGWOOK HA THE POET IS A PIONEER OF POETRY ABOUT EVERYDAY LIVING. HE'S ALWAYS SERIOUS AND WRITES ABOUT ONE SIDE OF EVERYDAY LIFE WITH A SOLITARY STYLE OF WRITING.
OUR HOMEROOM TEACHER TEACHES LITERATURE...

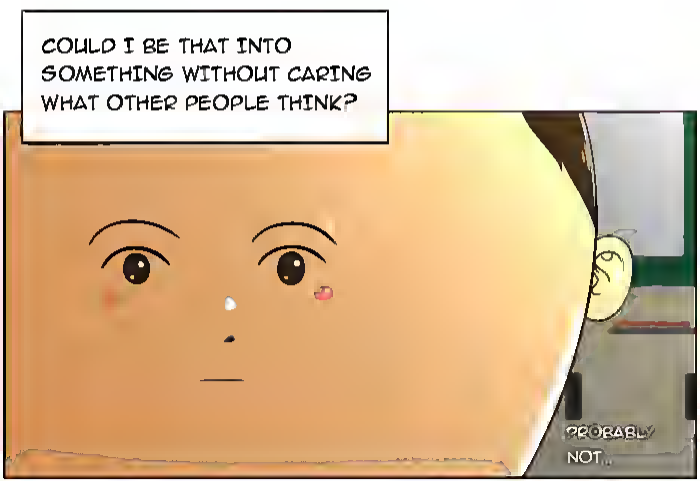

WAKE UP!
Z.. Z..
HE ISN'T FLEXIBLE AT ALL..
ARE YOU AFRAID OF YOUR HEART BOUNCING UP AND DOWN AS YOU COMPLAIN ABOUT YOUR LIFE IN THE EMPTY WAGON WHEEL OF TIME WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO ENJOY ANY PSYCHOLOGICAL PLEASURES, AS IF YOU WERE FLOATING INSIDE THE EARTH WITH THIS BEAUTIFUL POEM?
I TOLD YOU TO WAKE UP!! HOW CAN YOU SLEEP WHILE YOU'RE LISTENING TO THIS BEAUTIFUL POEM?
SHOUT

HE'S ALWAYS PASSIONATE AND ENTHUSIASTIC.
HE SEEMS CRAZY.
SWIRL~
AND YOU'RE NOT?

SOME KIDS THINK OUR HOMEROOM TEACHER IS STRANGE...

BUT HE LOOKS COOL TO ME.

SHOUT!!


COULD I BE THAT INTO SOMETHING WITHOUT CARING WHAT OTHER PEOPLE THINK?
PROBABLY NOT...

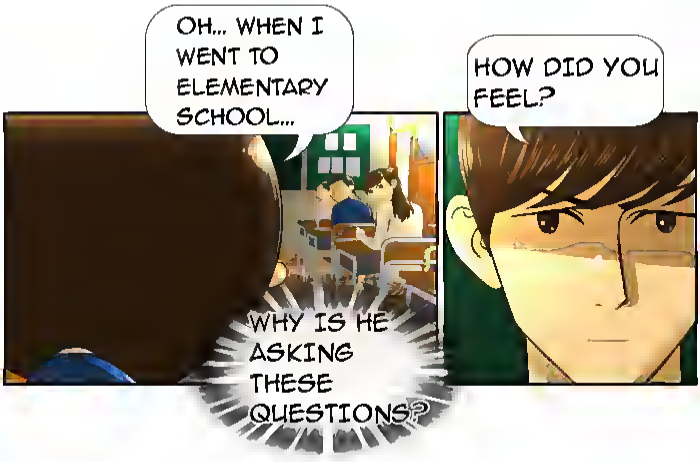
STARTLED
Y-YES?!
HEY, DONGWON.
DO YOU KNOW WHAT OUR CLASS MOTTO IS?

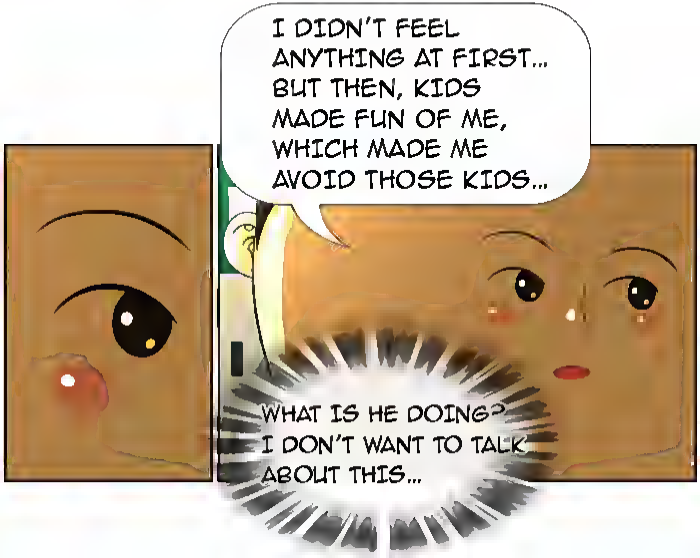
N-NO... I DON'T KNOW YET...
A CLASS MOTTO? OUT OF THE BLUE?
IT'S A SHAME THAT YOU DON'T KNOW IT...
SUNGHOON, WHAT'S OUR CLASS MOTTO?
*SULLI IS THE BEST?
*SULLI: A MEMBER OF A K-POP STAR, 'FOX'
HEH♡

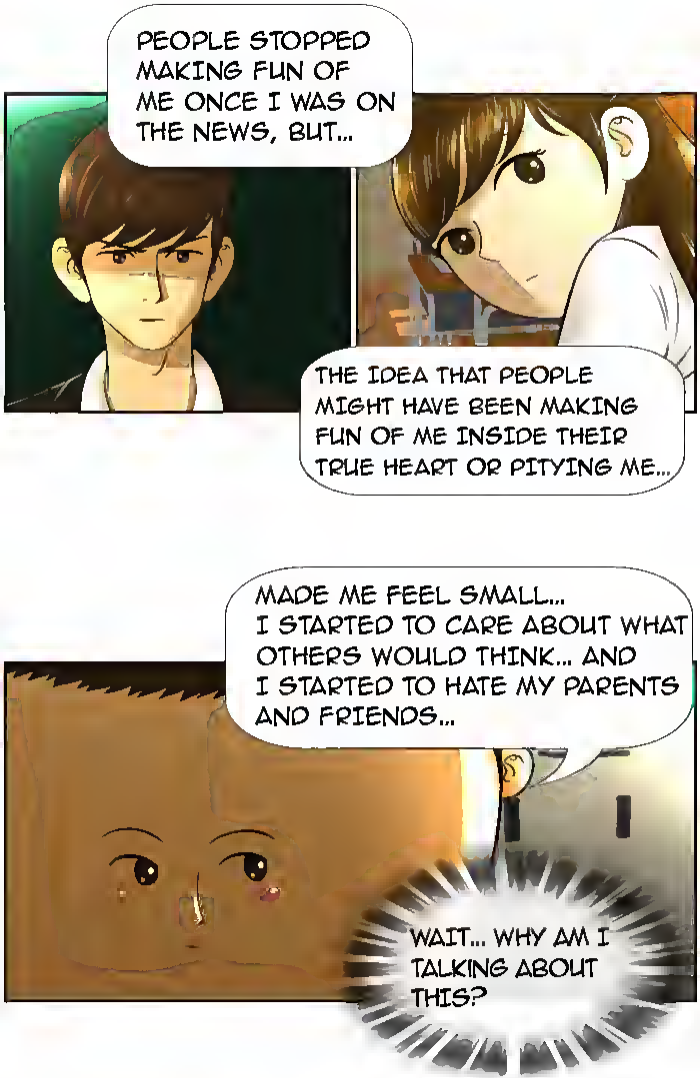
('AILEE, HYOSUNG, SEOHYUN, AND SHORRY ARE ALL K-POP STARS)

GIBEOM, YOU GET THE BEST GRADES IN CLASS! WHAT IS OUR CLASS MOTTO?
"MAKE ME FEEL GOOD?"
EVERYBODY, CLOSE YOUR BOOKS! THIS IS MORE IMPORTANT.
SIGH...
BIG HEAD BOY'S AWESOME!!
VICTORY FOR THE GRAPEFRUIT ON A TOOTHPICK!!
HOORAY!!!

WHO ARE YOU?
W-WELL... I...I DON'T...
ISN'T THIS QUESTION TOO SERIOUS FOR OUR AGE?
WHEN DID YOU REALIZE THAT YOU ARE DIFFERENT FROM OTHERS?


OH... WHEN I WENT TO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL...
HOW DID YOU FEEL?
WHY IS HE ASKING THESE QUESTIONS?

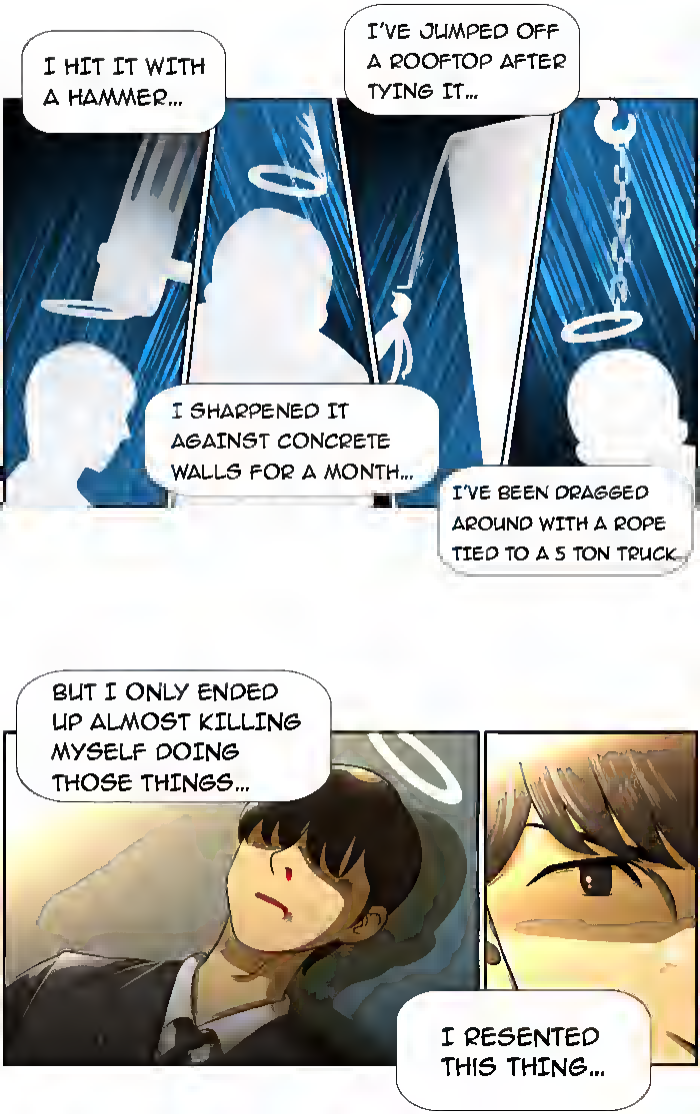

I DIDN'T FEEL ANYTHING AT FIRST... BUT THEN, KIDS MADE FUN OF ME, WHICH MADE ME AVOID THOSE KIDS...
WHAT IS HE DOING? I DON'T WANT TO TALK ABOUT THIS...


PEOPLE STOPPED MAKING FUN OF ME ONCE I WAS ON THE NEWS, BUT...
THE IDEA THAT PEOPLE MIGHT HAVE BEEN MAKING FUN OF ME INSIDE THEIR TRUE HEART OR PITYING ME...
MADE ME FEEL SMALL... I STARTED TO CARE ABOUT WHAT OTHERS WOULD THINK... AND I STARTED TO HATE MY PARENTS AND FRIENDS...
WAIT... WHY AM I TALKING ABOUT THIS?

I FELT LIKE I WAS A MONSTER...
THAT'S HOW I FELT.....

.....
DAMN IT... I SHOULDN'T HAVE TOLD MY STORY... I RUINED THE MOOD.
WHEN I WAS YOUNG, EVERYONE SNEERED AT THIS THING...
GRAB!

THEY SAID I WAS ACTING LIKE A COMIC BOOK CHARACTER AND TOLD ME TO TAKE IT OFF...
I TRIED EVERYTHING TO TAKE THIS THING OFF...


I HIT IT WITH A HAMMER...
I'VE JUMPED OFF A ROOFTOP AFTER TYING IT...
I SHARPENED IT AGAINST CONCRETE WALLS FOR A MONTH...
I'VE BEEN DRAGGED AROUND WITH A ROPE TIED TO A 5 TON TRUCK...
BUT I ONLY ENDED UP ALMOST KILLING MYSELF DOING THOSE THINGS...
I RESENTED THIS THING...

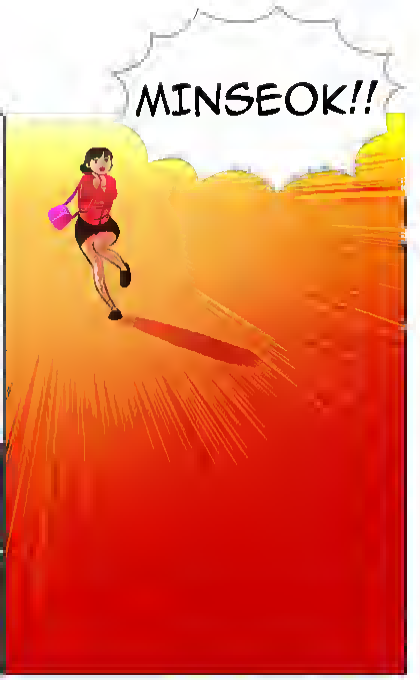
A FETTER RUINING MY LIFE! HANDCUFFS THAT BLOCKED MY LIFE!! A CHAIN TO MAKE ME LOOK FUNNY!!!

A VERY CRUEL TOY THAT MADE ME A MONSTER.
I WAS DISCOURAGED JUST LIKE YOU.
ONE DAY, I SAW A BOY PLAYING AT A CONSTRUCTION SITE.
I WOULD HAVE BEEN HAPPIER IF I HAD BEEN BORN NORMAL LIKE THAT BOY...

I HATED HIM FOR NO REASON.
BUT THEN!
CLANK
WOOO

OOOOSH
IT WAS TOO LATE TO AVOID.

BAM!!

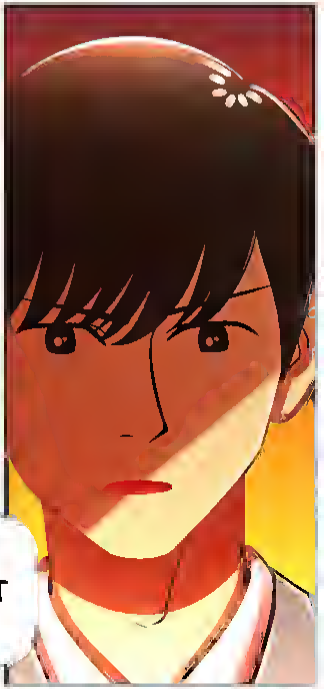

MINSEOK!!

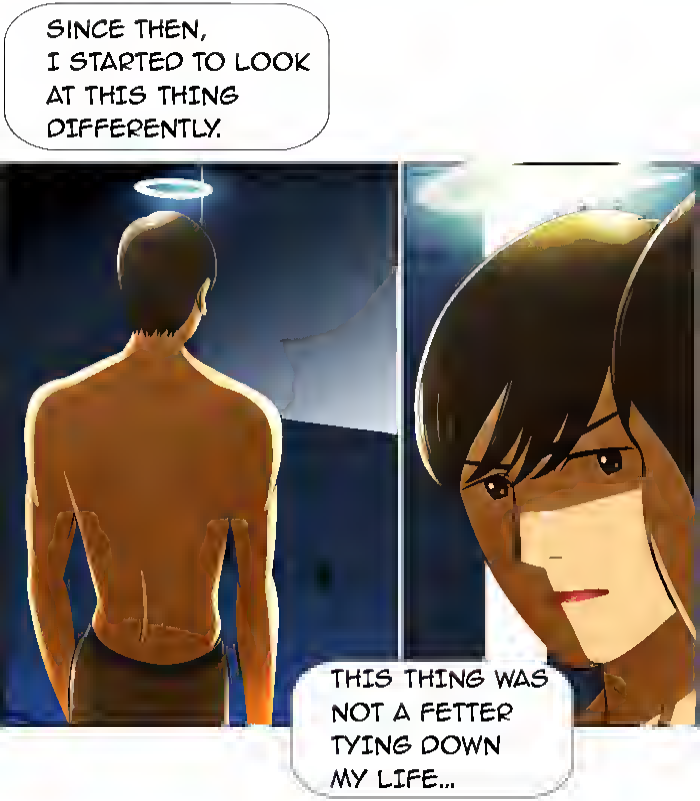
MY BABY, ARE YOU ALRIGHT?
CUDDLE!
WHAT HAPPENED??
LET ME SEE YOU!! IS EVERYTHING OK?!
ARE YOU HURT? ARE YOU ALRIGHT?!

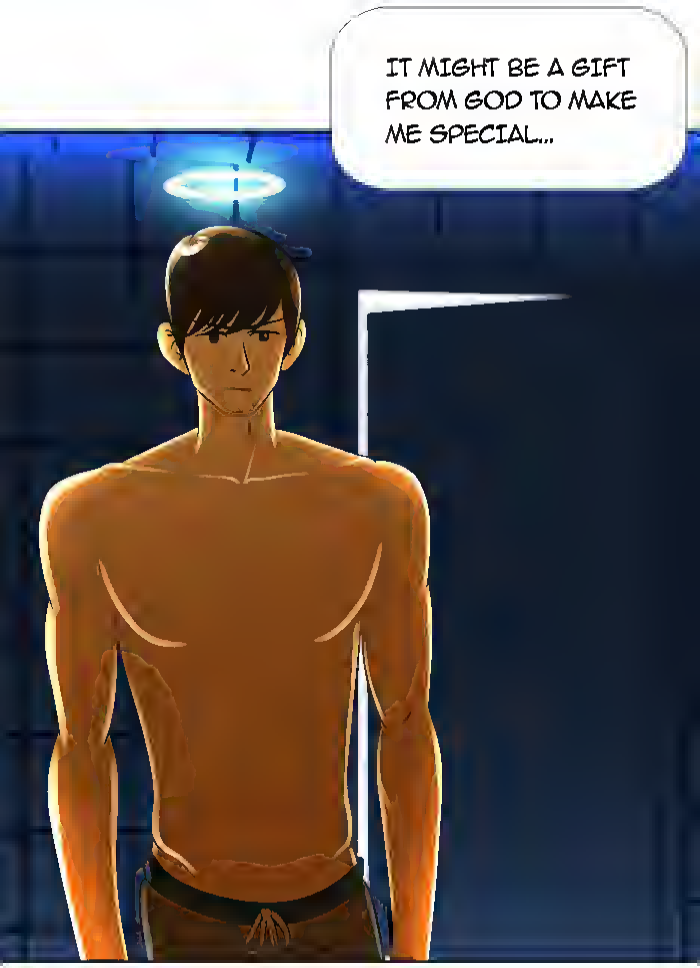
MISTER!!
THANK YOU!!
THANK YOU!!

THANK YOU SO MUCH!!
THANK YOU SO MUCH!!
NO...
I DIDN'T
DO MUCH...
GRAB
THANK YOU SO MUCH!!
IF SOMETHING BAD
HAPPENED TO MY BABY...

I WOULD HAVE DIED!!
THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!!
THANK YOU
SO MUCH!!


I HAD NEVER FELT LIKE THAT BEFORE...

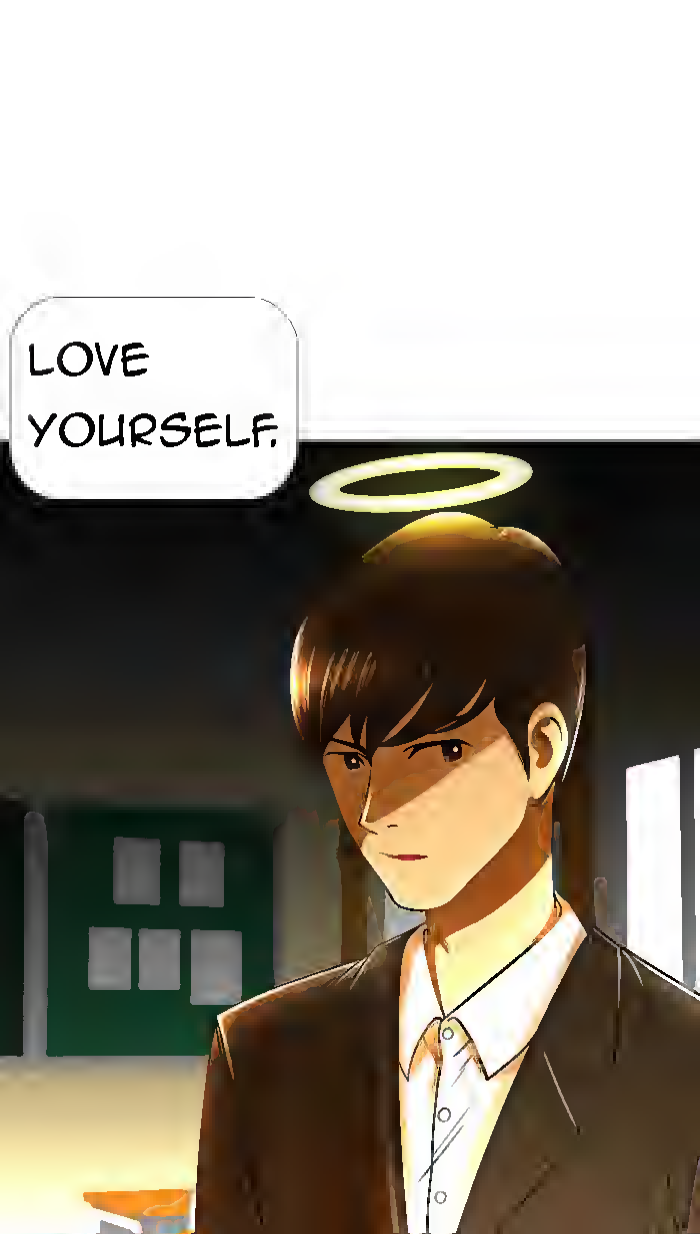

SINCE THEN,
I STARTED TO LOOK AT THIS THING DIFFERENTLY.
THIS THING WAS NOT A FETTER TYING DOWN MY LIFE...


IT MIGHT BE A GIFT FROM GOD TO MAKE ME SPECIAL...

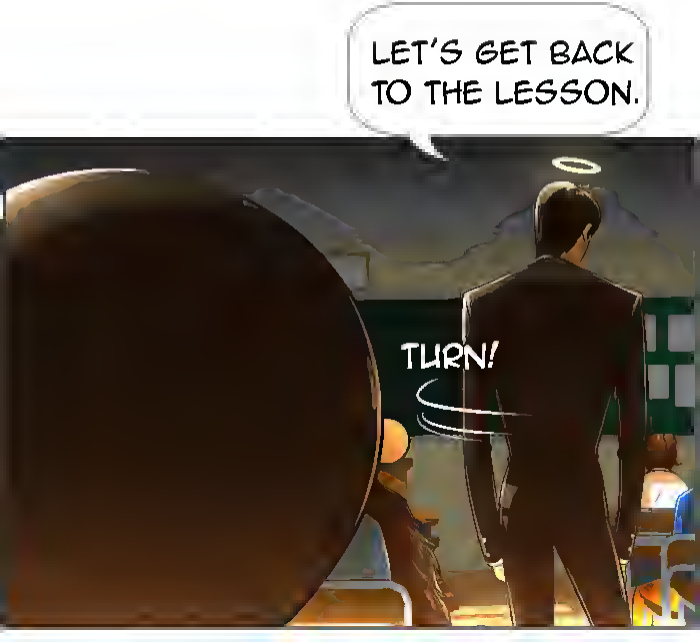
AFTER THAT DAY, I GOT MY CONFIDENCE BACK...
WHERE ARE YOU GOING, ANGEL?
TO THE CAFETERIA, HUMAN!
I HAD THE ROOM WITHIN ME TO TAKE MY FRIENDS' TEASING AND GIVE IT RIGHT BACK TO THEM

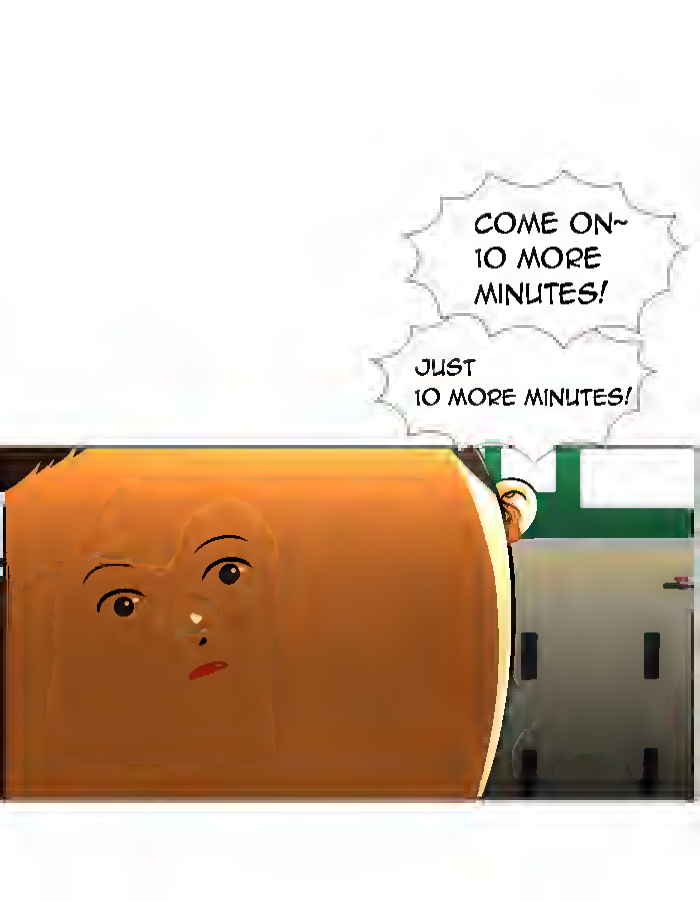
I DON'T NEED A SHOWER CAP WHEN I TAKE A SHOWER!
PUHAHAHA!! WHAT THE HELL IS THAT?
IDIOT!! HAHA
I'M JEALOUS!!
I WANNA HAVE THAT!! WHERE CAN I GET ONE?
I EVEN USED IT AS MATERIAL FOR JOKES

SSH


LOVE
YOURSELF.

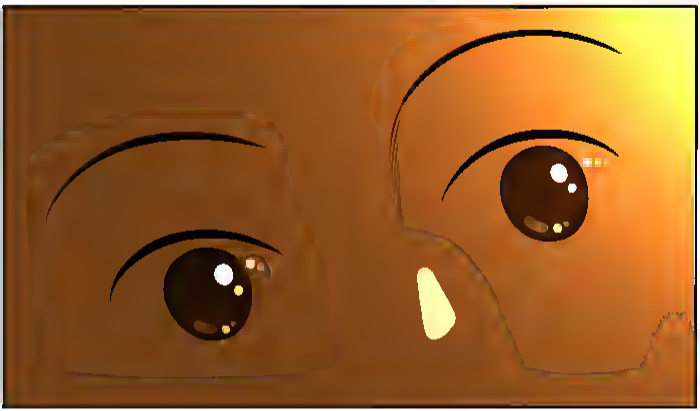
THIS IS OUR CLASS MOTTO.


LET'S GET BACK TO THE LESSON.
TURN!


COME ON~
10 MORE
MINUTES!
JUST
10 MORE MINUTES!

LET'S TALK MORE!!
TELL US ABOUT YOUR FIRST LOVE!!
10 MORE MINUTES!!
GUYS, ENOUGH!! AREN'T YOU SORRY FOR YOUR PARENTS WHO WORK HARD ALL DAY??
EUNJI IS SLEEPING~!!
SHOUT
CHITTER
CHITTER

CLASS MOTTO
LOVE YOURSELF



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Normal
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